Only 60% of the students who start college as engineering majors finish that way.

EFTP [the Engineering Freshman Transition Program] is a year-long program open to all first-year engineering students. It’s not a remedial program; it’s an intense, six-credit class that starts during Summer B. It’ll help you adjust to the level, speed and style of college instruction in foundation courses like calculus, chemistry, design and more. EFTP continues throughout the fall and spring semesters of your first year. An upper-division student will mentor you, answer your questions, point you to the right resources — basically provide you with help customized just for you.

My mentor held meetings very often, usually once a week, and was always concerned with our grades in calc and chem. If we ever did badly, she would find ways for us to get help — like a study group or tutor area.

SUSAN
EFTP Student

My mentor helped me stay on track in my critical tracking courses by giving good study tips and sharing knowledge about the classes he has already taken.

MIKE
EFTP Student

The Benefits

meet faculty and advising staff
course faculty and advising staff
course chemistry and calculus
review peer study groups
leadership development introduction
to autocad engineering design
projects develop engineering success
skills peer mentoring
introduction to all engineering
departments engineering
introduction to matlab

Fees
You’ll need to pay for the courses, required books, software, housing and meals.

Apply ASAP
First-year engineering students are invited to apply online for the program upon admission to the University of Florida. Applying to EFTP does not guarantee admission to the program. Students will be accepted based on a number of criteria, including application information and availability — so apply as soon as possible.

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